



## 2024 AVP Juniors Overview

**2024 AVP Juniors Schedule - All 4-Star events require bids to compete in all divisions.**

AVP Juniors National Championships	July 22-26	Hermosa Beach, CA	4-Star	<a href="#">Register here</a>
Mid-Atlantic Championships (MAC)	August 10-11	Virginia Beach, VA	4-Star	<a href="#">Register here</a>
AVP Juniors West Coast Championships (WCC)	November 9-10	Manhattan Beach, CA	4-Star	<a href="#">Register here</a>
AVP Juniors East Coast Championships (ECC)	Nov 29- Dec 1	Clearwater Beach, FL	4-Star	<a href="#">Register here</a>

### Bid Earning Window:

Awarded to Girls 18U, 16U, 14U, 12U & Boys 18U, 16U, 14U

- **National Championships** - December 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024 (This is a limited space event. Bids do not guarantee a spot in the tournament.)
- **Mid-Atlantic Championships** – **NO BIDS REQUIRED!** This event is open to all junior athletes.
- **West Coast Championships** - July 1, 2024 - November 3, 2024 (This is a limited space event. Bids do not guarantee a spot in the tournament)
- **East Coast Championships** - July 1, 2024 - November 24, 2024 (This is a limited space event. Bids do not guarantee a spot in the tournament)

### How to Earn a Bid:

- Bids can be earned to each 4-Star event at any qualifying event based on the bid window above.
- Bids can be earned at AVP America junior events.

- 1-Star events award bids to 1st & 2nd place teams as long as there are at least 5 teams in the division.
- 2-Star events award bids to 1st, 2nd & 3rd (2) place teams as long as there are at least 5 teams in the division.
- No trickle-down bids.
- Bid winners can play with any partner of their choice. They do not need to play with the partner they won their bid with.
- Only one partner per team is required to have earned a bid.
- Bids are not age specific. If you age out of your current age division, your bid is still valid if you're moving up to an older age division.
- Players will be required to compete in their respective divisions at the time of the event (see Junior Age Requirements below, which update on 9/1 each year).
- **For 4-Star Events (Nationals, WCC and ECC but not Mid-Atlantic Champs):**
  - These are limited space events. Bids are required, but they do not guarantee entry. Until the following dates for each event, teams with bids will be accepted based on highest AVP points. After these dates, teams will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis until we fill up.
    - Nationals – June 30, 2024
    - WCC – October 12, 2024
    - ECC – October 31, 2024
  - Complete teams have a bid, are paid, and are listed with two players. Incomplete teams will not be considered in the initial entry list.

### **Coaches:**

Make sure you have completed all the requirements in order to coach at this event:

- [Background Screening](#) must be completed and cleared one week prior to event start date.
- Active **SILVER AVP Membership**
- [AVP America Coaching Pass](#) to be completed one week prior to event start date. Pass is valid for one calendar year (1/1 - 12/31)
- Coaches **MUST** check-in with AVP Staff at event to receive coaching credentials for the event
- Make sure you know the [Coaching Rules](#) that were included in the AVP America Coaching Pass.

### **Junior Age Requirements as of 9/1/2023 (to be followed for WCC & ECC)**

- 18 & Under: Athletes graduating high school in 2024 or later.
- 16 & Under: Athletes graduating high school in 2026 or later.
- 14 & Under: Athletes graduating high school in 2028 or later.
- 12 & Under: Athletes graduating high school in 2030 or later.